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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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**FURNISHED ROOM,** with Breakfast only. State Terms to T. G. FENWICK AND COMPANY, LIMITED. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1900. 586

**THE ELEVENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS** will be held in the Hongkong Hotel on **TUESDAY, 27th February, at Noon**, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, electing a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The **TRANSFER BOOKS** of the Company will be **CLOSED** from the 22nd to 27th February, both days, inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.  
**G. W. WINTERBURN,** General Manager.  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1900. 584

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

**CONSIGNEES** per Company's Steamers

**"ORIENT"** are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Crut, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Underwriter; in both cases it will be at Consignee's risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Crut or Godown on and after the 21st inst.

Optional cargo will be landed unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. Goods undelivered after the 27th inst. will be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 27th inst.

**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Agents.  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1900. 582

**FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.**

## THE N.G.L. Steamship

**"NURNBERG"** Captain Posen having arrived from the above ports, Consignees are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for consignment of the Underwriter and to take immediate delivery of their goods from the Godowns.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have been left in the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 26th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 26th inst. at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

**SIEMSEN & CO.,** Agents.  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1900. 583

## "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

**FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND YOKOHAMA.**

The Company's Steamship

**"DENBIGHSHIRE"**

H. N. Vyvyan, Commander, will be despatched for the above ports on or about **FRIDAY, the 24th inst.**

For Freight or Passage, apply to **SHAW, WATSON & CO.,** Agents.  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1900. 587

## QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

**TERM BEGINS TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), 23rd February.** Applicants for Admission, attended by Guardians should be in the College at 9 A.M. TO-DAY (THURSDAY), 22nd.

**GEO. H. BATESON WRIGHT, D.D.,** Head Master.  
Hongkong, 19th February, 1900. 588

## THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE, 1888.

**APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF TRADE MARKS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the **PLANTERS COMPRESS COMPANY** of the State of West Virginia in the United States of America, and having its principal place of business at No. 36, Wall Street in the City, County and State of New York, in the United States of America, has, on the 6th January, 1900, applied for the registration in Hongkong, in the Register of TRADE MARKS, of the following TRADE MARKS:—The pictorial device of a balance, in one arm of the balance being the representation of a bale with the words "LOWRY BALE" impressed thereon; and in the other arm of the balance being the representation of a bale with the words "250 lb." impressed thereon in the name of the said **PLANTERS COMPRESS COMPANY**, who claims to be the sole proprietor thereof.

The Trade MARK has been used by the Applicant in respect of the following goods respectively, in the following classes:—(1) Cotton, viz. in respect of raw or partly prepared cotton substances not included in other classes in class 2.

A Facsimile of each Trade MARK can be seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong.

Dated the 20th day of January, 1900.  
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300

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Hongkong, 21st August, 1897. 1838

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Hongkong, 17th May, 1895. 1853

## NOTICE OF FIRMS

**NOTICE**

**DURING** my Temporary Absence from the Colony, Mr. FULLERTON HENDERSON holds my Power of Attorney.

**R. C. WILCOX,** Hongkong, 23rd February, 1900. 578

## INTIMATIONS

**RACE HOLIDAY.**

**THIS** Undermentioned BANK will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business at 11:45 A.M. TO-DAY (THURSDAY), the 22nd inst. respectively.

For the **CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.**

**T. H. WHITEHEAD,** Manager, Hongkong.

For the **HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**

**T. JACKSON,** Chief Manager, Hongkong.

For the **NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.**

**GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,** Chief Manager, Hongkong.

For the **MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.**

**JOHN THURBURN,** Manager, Hongkong.

For the **BANQUE D'INDO-CHINE.**

**L. BEHINDOAGUE,** Acting Manager, Hongkong.

For the **BANK OF CHINA & JAPAN, LIMITED.**

**CHANTREY INCHBALD,** Manager, Hongkong.

For the **YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.**

**S. OHIO,** Manager, Hongkong.

For the **IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.**

**E. W. BUTTER,** Acting Manager, Hongkong.

For the **DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK.**

**F. UEBEL,** Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1900. 515

## INSURANCE HOLIDAY.

**HONGKONG RACES.**

**THE** Undermentioned Insurance Office will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business at 11:45 A.M. TO-DAY (THURSDAY), the 22nd inst.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,** General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Ltd. and General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

**DOUGLAS JONES,** Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.

**W. H. PERCIVAL,** Agent, North China Insurance Co., Ltd.

**H. P. WADMAN,** Acting Secretary, China Thunders Insurance Co., Ltd.

**SHAW, WATSON & CO.,** Agents, Yantai Insurance Association, Ltd.

**GEO. L. TOMLIN,** Secretary, China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1900. 582

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

**RACE MEETING, 1900.**

**TO-DAY (THURSDAY),** the 22nd February.

**TICKETS OF ADMISSION** to the GRAND STAND AND ENCLOSURE may be obtained from Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd. Price 5s for the Meeting.

Tickets for the Day may be purchased at the Gate. Price 3s each.

No one admitted without a Ticket to be shown to the Ticket Inspector at the Gate.

**T. F. HOUGH,** Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, 6th February, 1900. 542

## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

**NO SERVANTS** will be allowed inside the ENCLOSURE of the RACECOURSE during the Race Day without Tickets, which can be had on application to the Underwriter.

**T. F. HOUGH,** Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, 6th February, 1900. 523

## J. ABLONG.

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**GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.**

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Hongkong, 9th February, 1900. 4393

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Hongkong, 9th November, 1899. (2-1394)

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Tickets can be obtained at the Booking Office of the Theatre, City Hall, on and after

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The Booking Office will be Open daily from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. except on Race days, when it will be Open from 10 A.M. to 12 Noon.

Late Tickets will run 1 hour after the fall of the curtain.

**H. C. MCQUEEN,** Acting Manager.

Hongkong, 29th January, 1900. 372

## AUCTIONS

**PONIES! PONIES! PONIES!!!**

**THE** Undermentioned will hold their Annual Sale of

**RACE PONIES**

on **TUESDAY,**

the 27th February, at 9 A.M.,

Opposite the City Hall, where upwards of 50 PONIES will be offered.

Entries will be received until Noon on day of Sale.

**HUGHES & HOUGH,** Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 21st February, 1900. 580

## BATAVIA QUININE AUCTIONS.

**SAMPLES** (in bottles of 1/2 English) of the

**QUININE** to be sold by Auction at Batavia on 28th February, 1900, can be obtained on application to Messrs.

**MCNEILL & CO.,** Agents, Hongkong Quinine

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**PLASSER, LATON & CO.,** Surabaya, and the

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**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,** Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1900. 1110

## JOHN WALKER & SONS' JAVONS

**KILMARNOCK WHISKY.**

This World-famous

**FINE OLD HIGHLAND WHISKY** shipped by

**CUTLER, PALMER & CO.,** and is

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**NO. 13, PRINCE CENTRAL,**

Hongkong, 26th July, 1897. 543

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**WINE SHIPPERS SINCE 1815.**

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Hongkong, 12th January, 1900. 541

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Hongkong. 12th February, 1900. 541

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Finest Scotch Whiskies

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**YACHTS.**

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**D. S. DADY BURJOE,**

26, Pottinger Street.

Hongkong, 10th February, 1900. 523

## WANTED.

**JUNIOR CLERK.** Chinese, Portuguese, or Indian.

Apply by letter, stating age, &c.

Care of Daily Press Office.

Hongkong, 17th February, 1900. 1550

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**REUTEL, BROCKELMANN & CO.**  
HONGKONG, 21st April, 1897.  
**TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.**  
The Under-Signed, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.  
**SIEMSEN & CO.**  
HONGKONG, 16th November, 1897.  
**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
TOTAL FUNDS at 31st December, 1896: £13,938,369 9s. 11d.  
**I. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL: £5,000,000**  
**SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL: 2,750,000**  
**PAID-UP CAPITAL: 687,500**  
**II. FUND: 2,765,459 11d.**  
The Under-Signed, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.  
**SHENWAN, TOMES & CO.**  
HONGKONG, 29th June, 1897.  
**NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.**  
The Under-Signed AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to Accept Fire and Glass Foreign and Chinese Risks at Current Rates.  
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The Under-Signed are now prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.  
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Agents for the Phoenix Fire Office.  
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**SUN INSURANCE OFFICE, LONDON.**  
FOUNDED 1210.  
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HONGKONG, 16th May, 1892.  
**BANKS.**  
**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**  
PAID-UP CAPITAL: \$10,000,000  
RESERVE FUND: \$11,500,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS: \$10,000,000  
CHIEF MANAGER:  
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**THOMAS JACKSON,**  
Chief Manager.  
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Chief Manager.			
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.			
Interest for 12 Months Fixed .....	5 1/2		
Hongkong, 23rd March, 1890. ....	19		
<b>DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK</b>			
Paid-up CAPITAL .....	Sh. Tels 5,000,000		
HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.			
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F. HUBIG, Manager.			
Hongkong, 5th February, 1900. ....			
<b>THE BANK OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA) LIMITED.</b>			
(INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL IMPERIAL CHARTER.)			
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL .....	Yen 5,000,000		
PAID-UP CAPITAL .....	1,250,000		
HEAD OFFICE—TAIPEH, FORMOSA.			
JUICHI SOTEDA, Esq., President.			
Head Office Manager: TAKESHI DOKI, Esq.			
BRANCHES AND AGENCIES.			
Taipei .....	Osaka .....	Yokohama .....	Kobe .....
Nagasaki .....	Kyoto .....	Nagoya .....	Taiwan .....
Mitsui .....	Hiroshima .....	Hakodate .....	Otsu .....
Hongkong .....	Shanghai .....	Aomori .....	
Chomulpo .....		Fusan .....	
HEAD OFFICE—INTEREST ALLOWED.			
On Current Account .....	4 3/8 per annum		
On Fixed Deposits .....	Savings Bank 5 1/2 " "		
For 3 months .....	5 1/2 per annum		
For 6 months .....	6 1/2 " "		
For 12 months .....	7 1/2 " "		
Credits granted on approved securities and			
every description of Banking and Exchange			
business transacted.			
Credits granted on the Chief Commercial			
houses both in Japan and abroad.			
Further particulars may be obtained on			
application.			
TAKESHI DOKI,			
Manager.			
Taipei, 26th November, 1899. ....			
<b>HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.</b>			
THE Business of the above Bank is conducted			
by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI			
BANKING CORPORATION. Rates			
may be obtained on application.			
INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3 1/2			
PER CENT. per annum.			
Depositors may transfer at their option			
balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND			
SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED			
DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.			
For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI			
BANKING CORPORATION,			
THOMAS JACKSON,			
Chief Manager.			
Hongkong, 1st August, 1895. ....			
<b>THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK LIMITED.</b>			
ESTABLISHED 1890.			
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED .....	Yen 24,000,000		
CAPITAL PAID-UP .....	13,000,000		
CAPITAL UNCALLED .....	15,000,000		
RESERVE FUND .....	7,500,000		
HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.			
BRANCHES AND AGENCIES.			
Taipei .....	Kobe .....	Nagasaki .....	
London .....	Lyons .....	New York .....	
San Francisco .....	Hankow .....	Batavia .....	
Bombay .....	Tientsin .....	Hankow .....	
LONDON BANKERS:			
THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.			
PAPER BANK, LIMITED.			
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED.			
HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.			
On Current Account at the rate of 2 per			
cent. per annum on the daily balance.			
On fixed deposits for 12 months 3 1/2 per annum.			
For 6 months .....	3 " "		
For 3 months .....	3 " "		
For 1 month .....	3 " "		
S. CHOW,			
Hongkong Manager.			
Hongkong, 1st January, 1900. ....			
<b>THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA LIMITED.</b>			
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL .....	£1,500,000		
Paid-up CAPITAL .....	£1,125,000		
PAID-UP CAPITAL .....	£562,500		
RESERVE FUND .....	£20,000		
BANKERS:			
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.			
INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at			
the rate of 3 per annum on the Daily balance			
On Fixed Deposits—			
For 12 months .....	4 1/2		
For 6 months .....	4 1/4		
For 3 months .....	4 1/8		
For 1 month .....	4 1/16		
J. THURTELL,			
Manager, Hongkong.			
Hongkong, 2			

**NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.**  
**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**FROM HULL, BROADBENT, LONDON, &**  
**THE STEAMSHIP "SINGAPORE."**  
**"DENBIGHSHIRE."**  
 Captain Vyvyan, having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, and stored at Consignee's own risk and expense.  
 No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th instant will be subject to suit.  
 All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 23rd inst., at 2.30 P.M.  
 No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
 Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
**SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,**  
 Agents.  
 Hongkong, 19th February, 1900. [567]

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**FROM BOMBAY COLOMBIA AND**  
**THE P. & O. S. N. Co's Steamship**  
**"COROMANDEL."**  
 Consignees of Cargo from the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each Consignment will be sorted out, marked by number, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.  
 This vessel brings on Cargo:—  
 From London, &c., ex s.s. Britannia.  
 From Persian Gulf, ex s.s. Kilma, Mohi and Geca.  
 From Zanzibar, ex s.s. Canara.  
 Optional goods will be landed here, unless instructions are given to the contrary before 6 P.M., TO-DAY.  
 No Goods not cleared by the 24th instant, at 6 P.M. will be subject to rent.  
 No Fire Insurance. The effected by me in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognized.  
**H. A. RITCHIE,**  
 Superintendent.  
 Hongkong, 17th February, 1900. [1]

**NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE**  
**ITALIANA.**  
 (Filios et Italiam United Companies.)  
**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE.**  
**THE STEAMSHIP**  
**"ROEMIDA."**  
 Having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained.  
 All Italian Goods to be taken delivery of immediately after the arrival of the vessel.  
 All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognized.  
 No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Italian Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 24th instant will be subject to rent.  
 Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Consignee.  
**CARLOWITZ & CO.,**  
 Agents.  
 Hongkong, 20th February, 1900. [7]

**THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**FROM GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL.**  
**THE COMPANY'S Steamship**  
**"COOPACK."**  
 Having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each Consignment will be sorted out, marked by number, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.  
 Goods not cleared by the 23rd inst., at 6 P.M., will be subject to rent.  
 No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in case of damage.  
 All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognized.  
 Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 6 P.M., TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 19th inst.  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,**  
 Agents.  
 Hongkong, 17th February, 1900. [551]

**NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**  
**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
**STEAMSHIP "QUEEN ADELAIDE."**  
**FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, AND MOJI.**  
 The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to call in their Bills of Lading for non-delivery, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.  
 Goods impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.  
**DODWELL & CO., LTD.,**  
 Agents.  
 Hongkong, 19th February, 1900. [10]

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 Opposite the City Hall.  
 Hongkong, 19th January. [5131]

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 DESIGNS and Specifications prepared for any class of Steamships, Launches, and Launches, and a speciality of Contractors in the supply and erection of a type of Machinery. New work and repairs supervised and second hand Launches for Sale.  
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**J. B. BARNICHAEL,**  
 & J. B. BARLOW.  
 Hongkong, 14th June, 1900. [5024]

**R. J. REMEDIOS,**  
**ORIGIN AND COLONIAL STAMP**  
**DEALER.**  
 No. 37, Blandford, Hongkong.  
 Will be glad to send STAMPS on approval of any address on receipt of satisfactory reference.

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